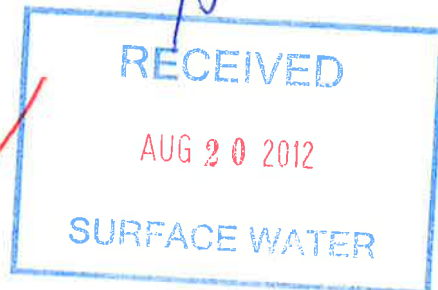




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August 20, 2012

Mr. Glenn Davis, Program Manager
State of Delaware – DNREC
Division of Water Resources
Surface Water Discharges Section
89 Kings Highway
Dover, Delaware 19901

Re: Permit #DE0000299
Discharge Outfall SW 003

Dear Mr. Davis:

This letter is to follow up to the August 16, 2012 verbal notification to yourself in which the analytical results of the August 2, 2012 discharge from Storm Water Outfall 003 (SW 003) were reported. Per the notification requirements of Part II, Section A.2.b.1 of the referenced permit Allen Harim Foods, LLC, is reporting the following:

Allen's – Harbeson 003 Grab Sample

Sample Date	Parameter	Results
August 2, 2012	BOD	30.4 mg/L
August 2, 2012	TSS	160.0 mg/L

At approximately 1642 hours it was noticed that a discharge was occurring at SW 003. In accordance with the reference permit requirements a grab sample was taken. The discharge lasted approximately 1 hour and 13 minutes with an estimated 55,000 gallons discharged.

It was determined that the reason for the discharge was that the pump at 003 stopped working. The Maintenance Assistant Supervisor was called to the station to determine why the pump was not operating. The pump had kicked out and had to be reset. Corrective measures that were taken were to replace all three overloads, replace contacts and coil. In addition the pulley size on the motor was increased to reduce the amp draw on the motor.

Additional corrective measures have been taken that will improve the quality of a discharge in the event that one occurs. We have installed 2 ten foot sections of silt fence; one after the outside sump and the second one prior to the newly installed sampling station. The straw bails that were previously put in place have been replaced with new straw bails.

The preventive maintenance tasks on the pumps is being reviewed and updated.
If you should have any questions, please contact me at (302) 684-1640, Ext. 184.

Respectfully submitted,
ALLEN HARIM FOODS, LLC.

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Michael R. Sausé". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "M" and "S".

Michael R. Sausé
Wastewater Manager

"Preparing Food for our Families"